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- 25X1 1. On 19 October, a train coming from Erfurt arrived at the Brandenburg railroad station and later proceeded to Brandenburg-Adado airfield. No aircraft had been observed at the field between 10 and 20 October.
- 25X1 2. Between 2.55 and 5 p. m. on 21 October, 23 IL-10's, flying in squadron formations, returned to the field from the south. Between 3 and 5 p. m. on the same day, 40 to 50 IL-10's were observed returning to Brandenburg-Briest airfield.

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Comment: The return of two ground-attack regiments to Brandenburg on 21 October has been confirmed. During the recent maneuvers in Thuringia, two ground-attack regiments were stationed at Erfurt.

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